

Table VIII.B.2.a(2006) Percent of private-sector employees eligible for health insurance at establishments that offer health insurance by average wage quartiles and State: United States, 2006

Division and State	Total	Quartile 1 Average Wage	Quartile 2 Average Wage	Quartile 3 Average Wage	Quartile 4 Average Wage
United States	77.5%	55.0%	75.0%	85.1%	89.4%
New England:					
Connecticut	79.7%	64.3%	77.3%	83.1%	92.1%
Maine	84.3%	66.4%	82.9%	88.2%	92.2%
Massachusetts	75.7%	61.3%	79.4%	77.5%	81.3%
New Hampshire	73.1%	51.5%	68.1%	85.4%	81.5%
Rhode Island	74.5%	43.5%	71.0%	81.1%	95.7%
Vermont	70.8%	41.1%	61.4%	84.3%	88.7%
Middle Atlantic:					
New Jersey	79.4%	58.2%	81.4%	83.1%	90.1%
New York	78.9%	66.7%	72.5%	83.2%	90.0%
Pennsylvania	81.8%	58.6%	84.8%	88.4%	91.3%
East North Central:					
Illinois	79.4%	60.9%	73.0%	87.0%	91.6%
Indiana	78.2%	51.0%	76.9%	85.3%	93.0%
Michigan	75.3%	54.8%	71.1%	83.9%	86.7%
Ohio	80.3%	59.4%	75.8%	87.0%	95.0%
Wisconsin	76.3%	63.4%	70.1%	77.7%	89.6%
West North Central:					
Iowa	77.8%	45.4%	67.5%	90.4%	93.4%
Kansas	71.3%	47.1%	58.5%	81.4%	87.9%
Minnesota	77.6%	47.9%	75.6%	88.8%	90.6%
Missouri	78.0%	55.2%	80.8%	85.3%	86.4%
Nebraska	79.2%	46.2%	76.4%	87.9%	92.5%
North Dakota	78.6%	46.3%	73.9%	88.1%	88.1%
South Dakota	72.6%	42.5%	53.9%	87.3%	89.9%
South Atlantic:					
Delaware	77.8%	52.5%	74.7%	85.7%	90.7%
District of Columbia	82.8%	69.9%	76.4%	93.6%	89.3%
Florida	74.8%	57.7%	64.5%	81.9%	90.5%
Georgia	77.7%	54.5%	74.1%	87.6%	91.3%
Maryland	75.3%	44.7%	76.5%	82.3%	93.2%
North Carolina	79.0%	48.6%	75.4%	88.4%	93.4%
South Carolina	80.8%	60.1%	75.2%	87.4%	92.1%
Virginia	74.5%	53.7%	72.5%	86.3%	81.1%
West Virginia	78.8%	59.5%	72.1%	78.9%	95.2%
East South Central:					
Alabama	79.8%	59.9%	75.9%	85.8%	93.2%
Kentucky	77.4%	43.1%	75.7%	89.1%	92.8%
Mississippi	79.1%	63.6%	76.1%	79.9%	92.0%
Tennessee	79.5%	55.8%	76.6%	89.4%	92.8%
West South Central:					
Arkansas	77.1%	44.7%	75.0%	84.8%	92.6%
Louisiana	75.1%	44.2%	79.0%	77.0%	90.9%
Oklahoma	79.9%	65.4%	74.6%	84.8%	90.7%
Texas	79.9%	52.3%	78.7%	86.6%	94.2%
Mountain:					
Arizona	75.3%	45.6%	69.9%	91.3%	88.9%
Colorado	72.1%	46.1%	68.1%	83.0%	83.3%
Idaho	76.6%	62.5%	58.5%	83.9%	92.6%
Montana	69.2%	48.4%	51.4%	77.0%	83.4%
Nevada	75.6%	58.1%	70.0%	85.6%	84.7%
New Mexico	73.3%	67.0%	64.6%	75.4%	83.5%
Utah	73.9%	57.4%	59.6%	87.1%	84.6%
Wyoming	75.5%	41.1%	69.9%	86.0%	87.3%
Pacific:					
Alaska	71.9%	39.7%	60.6%	82.0%	91.3%
California	76.2%	57.1%	70.0%	85.6%	86.2%
Hawaii	76.6%	56.4%	78.3%	85.6%	83.7%
Oregon	76.2%	51.5%	72.7%	86.0%	89.0%
Washington	74.9%	37.7%	74.4%	85.4%	90.0%

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends. 2006 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey-Insurance Component.

Note: Definitions and descriptions of the methods used for this survey can be found in the Technical Appendix.

Table VIII.B.2.a(2006) Standard error for percent of private-sector employees eligible for health insurance at establishments that offer health insurance by average wage quartiles and State: United States, 2006

Division and State	Total	Quartile 1 Average Wage	Quartile 2 Average Wage	Quartile 3 Average Wage	Quartile 4 Average Wage
United States	0.45%	1.12%	0.87%	0.41%	0.47%
New England:					
Connecticut	2.27%	4.93%	2.95%	3.41%	2.22%
Maine	1.72%	7.77%	3.24%	1.49%	4.13%
Massachusetts	2.82%	5.90%	3.05%	4.64%	3.05%
New Hampshire	2.31%	5.19%	3.11%	3.71%	3.61%
Rhode Island	3.19%	7.03%	3.69%	4.25%	0.52%
Vermont	3.06%	8.52%	3.38%	2.80%	2.30%
Middle Atlantic:					
New Jersey	2.08%	7.26%	4.06%	4.00%	2.81%
New York	1.66%	5.49%	2.22%	2.18%	1.78%
Pennsylvania	1.81%	4.31%	2.54%	1.99%	1.55%
East North Central:					
Illinois	2.23%	5.36%	2.69%	1.90%	2.49%
Indiana	1.56%	5.91%	3.55%	2.51%	1.86%
Michigan	1.93%	5.50%	2.38%	3.67%	3.91%
Ohio	2.17%	6.12%	2.01%	2.09%	1.13%
Wisconsin	3.16%	5.75%	6.72%	5.42%	2.40%
West North Central:					
Iowa	2.34%	7.31%	4.69%	1.80%	3.05%
Kansas	2.58%	5.44%	4.58%	3.85%	3.18%
Minnesota	1.26%	3.59%	3.39%	1.64%	1.71%
Missouri	1.54%	4.26%	2.89%	4.75%	3.02%
Nebraska	2.15%	5.28%	3.96%	2.08%	1.00%
North Dakota	2.30%	6.62%	3.44%	1.65%	2.62%
South Dakota	4.05%	8.23%	7.83%	5.45%	1.44%
South Atlantic:					
Delaware	1.30%	6.82%	3.30%	1.75%	1.85%
District of Columbia	1.97%	5.10%	3.88%	1.91%	3.90%
Florida	2.49%	5.73%	5.49%	4.11%	1.60%
Georgia	3.33%	9.99%	4.66%	2.99%	1.39%
Maryland	3.66%	6.01%	3.99%	3.58%	1.24%
North Carolina	2.23%	7.28%	3.79%	1.45%	1.27%
South Carolina	2.14%	6.46%	3.74%	1.04%	1.40%
Virginia	2.37%	7.45%	5.31%	3.26%	4.18%
West Virginia	1.81%	9.41%	5.07%	2.61%	1.61%
East South Central:					
Alabama	1.96%	7.43%	4.35%	2.06%	1.60%
Kentucky	2.41%	6.90%	4.61%	1.41%	1.35%
Mississippi	1.72%	6.14%	4.75%	2.74%	2.12%
Tennessee	1.37%	6.48%	4.12%	1.98%	1.10%
West South Central:					
Arkansas	2.32%	6.63%	3.73%	3.24%	2.41%
Louisiana	3.61%	4.85%	3.47%	6.48%	2.33%
Oklahoma	2.08%	6.70%	4.52%	2.28%	2.29%
Texas	1.59%	5.68%	3.10%	2.13%	0.69%
Mountain:					
Arizona	1.92%	7.27%	6.10%	1.97%	1.89%
Colorado	1.95%	4.10%	4.69%	3.26%	3.39%
Idaho	2.12%	7.64%	8.89%	3.69%	3.53%
Montana	3.20%	7.48%	7.47%	3.56%	3.15%
Nevada	1.99%	5.15%	5.46%	2.01%	4.24%
New Mexico	2.63%	8.74%	6.05%	4.43%	3.46%
Utah	2.61%	6.56%	4.93%	1.75%	2.75%
Wyoming	2.82%	6.33%	5.10%	2.53%	3.54%
Pacific:					
Alaska	4.41%	10.22%	6.58%	6.05%	1.35%
California	1.49%	3.94%	4.03%	1.73%	2.45%
Hawaii	2.11%	3.44%	4.28%	1.42%	3.49%
Oregon	2.14%	5.38%	5.03%	2.01%	2.40%
Washington	3.43%	7.06%	4.01%	2.18%	4.70%

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